MONDAY, MAY 20, 1878.

### CANDIDATES.

[All announcements must invariably be paid for in advance. No notice will be taken of orders unless they are accompanied with the cash.]

#### CITY SERGEANT.

TO THE PEOPLE OF ALEXANDRIA LOITY .- I take this method of announcing myself a candidate for re-election to the office of City Sergeant. Two years ago you appointed me to fill this place in a manner so flattering to myself that I feel now, as I did then, that my best efforts could never discharge the obligations under which you have placed me. For that manifestation of your confidence and regard, A nave labored to fulfill the duties of the office so that no one should regret the selection you then made, and, I hope I have done so acceptably to ail. If I have met your approbation in the past and should receive your endorsement again I can only pledge a continuance of the same official conduct in the future. I believe I have discharged my duties to the satisfaction of the court, the attornies, the juries and all others having business relations with the courts as well as to the public, and in csking your renewed sup-port I am confident that no dereliction can be charged against me. I have always endeavored to act fairly, to make no distinction, to do no injustice to any one, and to be an impartial public officer. I, therefore, ask your undivided support in the approaching election, and, if it should be your pleasure to elect me, it will be mine always to faithfully subserve your truest in-

Very truly your obedient servant. te R. T. LUCAS.

COMMO. WEALTH'S ATTORNEY

ANNOUNCE reself as a candidate for the office of Common realth's Attorney, and earnestly ask the support on May 231, 1878

my 13-td

C. F. ARRELL.

CORPORATION ATTORNEY. -

RESPECTFULLY announce myself a ca. ?" didn'te for re-election to the office of Corpora-tion Attorney, subject to the decision of the primary election.

CHARLES E. STUART.

SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE. T RESPECTFULLY announce myself a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Police at the election to be held May 23 my 2t6\* EDWARD HUGAES.

#### CLERK OF GAS.

TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY-I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Gas Works, and earnestly ask the support of my fellow citizens at the election to be held on May 23d. [my 8-te\*] JAMES J. DOHERTY.

### CONSTABLE.

UNDER a misapprehension of facts, Mr. J. T. Burnett was nominated Wednesday night in the 4th ward for constabl vice of conservative friends, I have determined to announce myself an independent conservative candidate for the office, and solicit the sup. port of my friends. My conservatism is unquestionable. my 17-te C. O. SIPPLE.

## FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR RENT-The HOUSE and LOT adjoin-I ing situated at the southwest corner of Cameron and St. Asaph streets, in Alexandria, Va., at present occupied by Mr. Edmund F. Witmer. Possession given on the first day of July next. Apply to WM. H. IRWIN, No. my 18-eotJ1\* 182 Prince street.

FOR RENT-HALF OF THE DWELL-ING on the northeast corner of Washington and Prince streets. Seven rooms on the first and second floors. Apply on the premises.

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FOR L ENT-A BRICK HOUSE, pleasantly d, furnished or unfurnished, will be cod tenant on reasonable terms. locate rented to a s a on the first day of May. Ap. Possession give JNO. T. HILL, ply to Collector Taxes North. Dist. 80 23-tf

ROOMS, furnished or TO LET-THRE. unfurnished, with or without board. Apply ap 11-tf at this office. COMFORTABLE

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street, now eccupied by E. E. White.
sion given Feb. 1st, 1878. Apply to
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History of England 18th century; 2 vols; \$5; by Wm. E. H. Leckey. The Elements of Rhotoric, by James De Mille, M.A.; \$1 40. The School and the Family, by John Kenne-

dy; price \$1. The Principals of Rhetoric and their Application, by Adam S. Hill; price \$1 25.
The History of a Crime, by Victor Hugo;

An Open Verdict. a novel, by Miss M. E. Braddon; paper; 35c, Georgie's Wooer, a novelette, by Mrs. Leith Adams; price 20c. A full list of Harper's Half Hour Series, from

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NO. 2 PRINCE STREET. ap 17-2m WAIRBANK'S SCALES! FAIRBANK'S SCALES We have on hand a large and complete assort-ment of the above STANDARD SCALES which we are selling as cheap as they can be bought at the factory or anywhere else. Persons in want of them would do well to examine

my 11 McLEAN & UHLER, 107 King st. CHOICE UNCOVERED SUGAR CURED HAMS and SMALL SHOULDERS rec'd.

and for sale cheap by B. W. AVERY, 226 King st. AUCTION SALES.

PUBLIC SALE OF A TRACT OF LAND
IN STAFFORD COUNTY VIRGINIA IN STAFFORD COUNTY, VIRGINIA.
In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court
of Stafford of the 14th of March, 1878, in the chancery suit of White, Jarboe & Co., against Howell's administratrix and others, the undersigned, special commissioners, will expose to sale signed, special commissioners, will expose to sale by public auction, at Stafford Court House, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of May, 1878, that being County Court day, at 12 o'clock m., a TRACT OF LAND estimated to contain 588 acres, lying on Aquia creek, in Stafford county, being the tract formerly owned by Thomas Towson, dee'd., and by his executor conveyed to the late John Howell, and upon which the widow of John Howell, deceased, now resides. Said tract also lies on Austin's run, near Coal Said tract also lies on Austin's run, near Coal landing, on Aquia creek, is about five miles from Brooke's station, and four miles from Staftord C. H. The land is very good for grain and grass, and the buildings are all in good condition; the dwelling house an excellent one.

Torms of Sale: Cash sufficient to pay the ex-

penses of sale and the debt secured in the deed of trust in the aforesaid suit mentioned, amounting to \$3,699.70, with interest at 10 per cent on \$3,130 78, part thereof, from 1st March, 1877, until paid, and with interest at six per cent on \$341, part thereof, from 1st March, 1877, till paid, and as to any surplus upon a credit of one and two years, with six per cent interest, and a deed of trust to secure the deferred payment. Mrs. Howell will show the farm to any one

wishing to examine it before day of sale.

ST. GEO. R. FITZHUGH, Special

WILLIAM A. LITTLE, Comm'rs

Stafford county, ap 12-td

POSTPONEMENT—The above is postponed until WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of

June, 1878, at the same place on account of the inclemency of the weather on the day above ad-

ST. GEO. R. FITZHUGH, Comm'rs. Stafford county, my 12-td

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DEALER IN

PINE LUMBER, JOISTS, SCANTLING, SHINGLES, LATHS, &c.

ALSO OAK, ASH, WALNUT, POPLAR, RED CEDAR, CHERRY, MAHOGANY, MOULDINGS, &c., &c., &c.

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I have received and shall continue to keep on hand a full supply of the BEST KENNEBEC ICE. which I am desirous to dispose of in large or small quantities at the

LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICE Persons in the city can arrange with the drivers, or leave their orders at Brengle's, Appich's or Schafer's confectionery store.

Orders from the country will receive promp attention. JOHN S. BEACH. my 26-tf

A VERILL CHEMICAL PAINTS, believed to be the best ready mixed Paints made in this country, we offer at factory prices. We have been the local agents for the above for several years, and our sales have been large, and he Paints have given satisfaction. Also for CALCICAKE, or Compressed Calcimiste, y for use by the addition of hot water; a 'ful article for calcimining walls, ceilings, rena

or sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. beaut. my 14 MOUNTAIN ROOF PAINT-100 just received. The best Paint in wood or metal roofs, fences, barns POCKY I gallons 'dings. Put up in 1 and 2 gallon the world for r shipmont and immediate uso. and all out buil

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or Wall Pockets, STRAW For protecting the sleev druggists and butchers; als. McLEAN & THLER'S, &c. Only 20 cents a pair at

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BENZINE, Bust Kerosene, Pratt's Astral, Sperin, Lard, Extra Machine, Lubricating, Tanners' and Sewing Machine Oils just received and for sale by R. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. my 15

BREAKEAST CARACAS CHOCOLATE, in 11 b packages, just received and for sale very low by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON. my 17 J. LEMARCHAND'S FINEST BONE. LESS SARDINES, in purest C live Oil,

in half boxes. GEO. McBURNEY & SON. my 8 T IME, CEMENT, PLASTER, Sand, Felt and Pitch, for sale by PEAKE & NALLS,

cor. King and Columbus sts. feb26 A FULL LINE OF H ARDWARE, for sale cheap, PEAK E & NALLS, feb26. cor. King, and Columbus sts DRIED CORN, APP LES and PRACHES RAMSAT'S.

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GLYMONT PAVILION NO CHARGE FOR LANDING This beautiful Summer Resort has changed its management, and has been placed in first rate order for the coming sesson, and no charge as heretofore, will be made at this landing.
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FOUR HOURS FROM WASHINGTON, YIA BALTIMORE & OHIO R. R.

Through and excursion tickets, good until November 1. Park Wagenettes, in which to convey passengers from station to Springs.

BOARD RATES The proprietor of Orkney Springs, fully appreciating business depression, offers the following reduced rates of board, graduated according to rooms occupied, and the number of persons

in each room. Board per day for one week and less than two \$150, \$2 and \$250. Board per week for two weeks and less than four \$8, \$10, \$12 and \$14. Board per month for one month and less than two \$30, \$35, \$40 and \$45 Ministers, physicians and members of the press will be entitled to twenty-five per cent discount on the above rates. Children under 12 years and servants

Families and parties numbering seven or more who desire to remain the entire season, can make special contracts at a reduction on the above rates.

The season will open on SATURDAY, the 15th of June, and close on the 15th of October. All communications addressed to E. B. COLE. MAN, Manager Metropolitan Hotel, until June 1, after that date to the proprietor at Orkney Springs, Shenandoah county, Va, will receive prompt attention.
ap 30-3m A. W. JONES, Lessee and Prop.

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Country board, with large and elegant rooms and a good table. There are 20 acres of land a large part being covered with fruit and shade trees. Will be opened May 1st. Application made to A. B. NODINE.

ap 24-tf

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF FAIRFAX COUNTY P. R. Duryee In vacation.

W. G. Duckett and others. ) Upon consideration of the papers formerly read, and the decree entered on the 27th day of April, 1878, and the petition now filed by Pamela R. Duryce, and argument of counsel being heard, upon consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that the order entered in this cause on the 27th day of April, 1878, be set aside and rescinded, and that the injunction awarded in this cause be reinstated until the further order of this Court; and that this cause be referred to Master Commissioner James M. Love, with instructions to convene the par-ties interested and take an account of the liens subsisting on the real estate in the bill and pro-ceedings described, and that he report the same, to whom due, and how, with their respective priorities, to the next term of the Court to be held for the county of Fairfax, and that in executing this order he shall give notice by publication for four consecutive weeks in some newsaper published in the city of Alexandris, ich notice shall be equivalent to personal

e on all parties in interest. EUTVIC interested are hereby notified that 1 have fixed upon the 4th day of June, 1878, at my office, at Fairfax Ct. House, Virginia, as the my omes, at when and where I will execute JAMES M. LOVE. he above decrees. Comm'r. in Ch'y Circuit Ct.

11y 7-W4W DMINISTRATOR NOTICE-The undersigned having been appointed adminis-of the estate of the late CHARLES P. V, hereby notifies all persons indebted to trator it to ma payment without delay, and those laims against it are requested to present them for . vettlement. W. B. GREGORY.

my 9-1m 100 bbls med, um split EASTERN HERRING. 50 bbls round lextra TISH!

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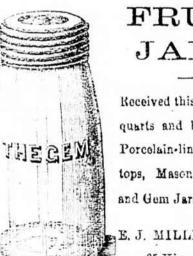
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DOCTOR'S REPORT. Dr. Chas, M. Duddenhauson, Apothecary. The doctor writes: I have a lage number of good customers who take Vegetine. They all speak well of it. I know it is a good medicine

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To the editor of the Evening Star:

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Both my grandfathers were fishermen, and my father the oldest on the Potomac, high by the waters of which I was bore, and from the time I was old coough to handle an angling rod, unto this day I have been engaged in fishing and curing fish. Although very young, at the time, I well remember the season of 1810. who were willing to pay the city wharfage of know it is every thing it is recommended to be. the river. In 1837 my father and others were Mrs. A. J. PENDLETON. ruiged through the aganthies cought. From raised through the quantities caught. From 1840 our fish have, with a few exceptional years, shown a steady decrease; what the causes were that produced the decrease prior to the erection of our gas works I do not know of my personal knowledge, but do know that a few days after those managing those works ture of the refuse tar into the river that the whole covfrom Point West to Dangerfield's Point Wie covered with dead fish of every kind c mmon to our waters. The same was the evente many of our docks if not all of them; and I remaked at the time that a continuation of that thing would eventually destroy our spring fisherles In fact, I v gorously opposed in his unform nately for Potomac fishermen and others in terested in it, we have a city connect that serves the people without compensation, and like all other communities governed by cheatmen, argument availed nothing, and the practice has been adhered to mail the present time to the great is jury of our fisheries. There is remedy for the many kinds of head che as it acts | searcely a log, stone, spawoing around or a ick directly upon the various causes of this complaint, Nervouseness, Indigestion, Costiveness, Rhe for miles below this city, that is not in the or for miles below this eig, that is not much of less besmeared with gas tar, and not a partiof spawn that touches it ever matures. Again when I was a boy, the fish off it made on the city fish wharf by cutting fish was east into the river, and around this wharf in summer could be caught millions of young shad and bernieg. but in the course of time the lessees of the whaif established the business of selling the roe and other portions of the fish cut of in cleaning them, for agricultural purposes, and gradually the business grew 81 great that the fathers and mothers; for it gives them strength, quiet their nerves, and gives them Nature's er purposes; and in the same proportion that the business has grown the young fish which w

They were produced in the rain hogshead of the late Richard C. Barton, from the cook a washing the knife she was accustomed to tise in cleaning fish for the table in said higshead. and notwithstanding the regulation of Mr. Barton for truth some dentited it. I did not. from the fact that observations in earlier years, had impressed upon my mind that the countless millions of young fish that I had seen in my boyhood around the city fith wharf were the production of the spawn that had been east into the river from the wheth during the season. Nevertacless, to dam in strate the matter beyond a doubt, on the 12 May, perhaps the 234, in 1871, I put some retaken from shad I was ther naving cut, into a hogshead we had suck in front of our fishing establishment for the purpose of obtaining older water to make brise of. After some three weeks or a mouth I stopped watching the new style; Men's Handkorchiefs, full line; Hose 31 of July 1 had occasion to go round we the hogshead was, and to my astocishmen. " spawn had disappeared and in the water it it is Tops, &c. We keep so stantly in stock all the the hogshead, which the tide would sometic above named goods, and defy competition in overflow, (the men having stock it too less the hogshead, which the tide would sometime were hundreds of young shad, all same ; anxious to get into the hogshead. I watched them for some time, and I think about the middle of September they scopped player around that hogshead and disappeared. The thoroughly satisfied me that fish could be produced from the spawn of dead fish that were not spoiled, and I attribute the immense du orcase in the supply of fish to the cale of aparts for agricultural purposes and the salting and sale of the same for table use.

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one can be caught around the wharf. A more

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As regards the gill nets, I can state that I am not interested in any of them, nor to hand ing scines, either, at the present time. I do no therefore propose that my notes in ref : eace to either of them shall be blosed in that conclusions. As regards the destroying of spaces by drifting gill nets, that is to true, to the sense that many appy their arguments against those nets. Fish spawn on logs, stones, gravel, and sometimes sand, and over these the gill note drift without materially to interferring with the spawn. Nevertheles the? do incalculable injury to the increase of fiby obstructing the passage and forcing the !! into the lower creeks at ebb tide, and on the floods the at t water goes in and desires and vitality of the spawn as effectually as though it was salted in a fisherman's stand, while the lead lines of hauling seines are ever destr ying

As regards Maryland owning the waters of the Potomac, that might have been the case in colonial times, not since the establishment of the national government. Maryish i might, with equal consistency, claim the national treasury as pert of the highways of com-merce from which it mainly derives the principal revenue of government. Were much water sign same there is more in the Chesapeake B-y than in the Potomac, and me is in the Atlantic than in the Chesapeake, and more in the l'acific than in the .tiantic, and under this sate of affairs we would be unable to decide what really did constitute the high some The idea of Maryland's owning the channel way of the Potomac, or any other state owning the chantel ways of rivers ruening through or dividing them from some other, is an absurdity. The highways of commerce belong to nationalities, and not to the subordinate provinces thereof; and until the nation I government shall put en a revenue cutter and stop men from fishing the channel-way, and states the inteleand authorities the letting out of gas the intethe river, and the carrying off of space trom the several fish wharves located on the river the experience of the past teaches us to know that all attempts at replenishment will prove iru dess. Very respectfully yours

FRESH PRIME BUTTELS and EGGS received by [ap 30] ALLF, N C. HARMON. Alexandria, Va.

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